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PANCHAYATI RAJ & DRINKING WATER DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 16th August, 2023

S.R.O. No.574/2023 .— Whereas, the draft of certain rules further to amend the Odisha Panchayat Samiti Accounting Procedure Rules, 2002, which the State Government proposes to make in exercise of power conferred by Section 57 of the Odisha Panchayat Samiti Act, 1959 (Odisha Act 7 of 1960) is hereby published as required by sub-section (1) of the said section for information all persons likely to be affected thereby and notice is hereby given that the said draft will be taken into consideration on or after the expiry of a period of 15 (fifteen) days from the date of publication of the said notification in the *Odisha Gazette*.

Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person in respect of the said draft before expiry of the period so specified above will be taken into consideration by the State Government.

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1. (1) These rules may be called the Odisha Panchayat Samiti Accounting Procedure (Amendment) Rules, 2023.

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *Odisha Gazette*.

2. In the Odisha Panchayat Samiti Accounting Procedure Rules, 2002, in rule 76, -

- (i) In sub-rule (1), for the existing Table-I including the proviso thereto, the following Table shall be substituted namely:—

Table-I

Designation of Officer	Financial Limit
Junior Engineer/ Asst. Engineer	Up to 3 Lakh
Asst. Executive Engineer	Above 3 Lakh up to 10 Lakh
Executive Engineer	Above 10 Lakh up to 1 Crore
Superintending Engineer (PR Deptt.)	Above 1 Crore up to 4 Crore
Chief Engineer	Above 4 Crore „ ; and

(ii) In sub-rule (3), for the existing Table-II including the proviso thereto, the following Table shall be substituted namely:—

Table-II

Authority	Extent of Power
Block Development Officer	Up to Rs.10 Lakh
Chairman, Panchayat Samiti	Above Rs.10 Lakh up to 20Lakh
Collector	Above Rs.20 Lakh up to 1 Crore

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By Order of the Governor

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